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COLONEL MITCHELL'S DEFENCE.

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(Renter's American Service.)

Washington, Dec. 17. Referring to Mr. Weeks' letter Chonel Mitchell Jo-day declared

both Mr. Weeks and Prosident Coolidge were indirectly; misinformed regardons the condition of aviation and national tories, and upon finding two jara taken Morriss who had gratified the previous evening , defences

Calmel Missiell waived summing up a dress for the defence and simply read a brief statement to the effect that the truth of his charges were about proven, adding that he had stated that only. 19 Government aero planes were fit for service and cov there was only one.



Colonel Mitchell.

The prosecution addressed the Court demanding that Mitchell be

punished. Another Government, comment followed! He compared Mitchell's conduct to head hunting among the Philippine savages and contended that the possible truth of Mitchell's charges had not been established by the defence for the accused under the provisions of the court martial manual.

Coolidge, describing Mitchell as given. The robbers got away at position" and as an officer whose arrested, attempting to pown the course was so "lawless" that watch in question. in spite of his excellent war record he had forfeited the good coinfon of those most familiar pear in connection with the very signature of the Locarno with the facts.

Found Guilty.

Colonel was found guilty and suspended for five years.

The Court upheld all eight charged against Mitchell, finding him guilty of conduct prejudicial to the good order of military discipline, insubordination, and utterances comptemptuous to the United States War and Navy Departments.

WORLD COURT.

AMERICA CONSIDERING JOINING.

NOVELTY IN SENATE.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, Dec. 17. The galleries of the Senate were crowded at the beginning of the consideration of the question. of the American membership of the World Court on the ratification resolution moved by the Democrat. Senator Swanson whose action was in the nature of a novelty since the original

measure is Republican.

# LOCAL HOCKEY.

The following will represent the Hongkong Hockey Club 2nd when the man threatened ran due to derive here on Duc 24. XI against the 'C' Coy. First away and gove the clarm. LA. Surrey Regiment, at Southwest man alleged to be the prisoner .: J. Wedlake (Capt.) R. Prisoner pleaded not guilter at in white the season was made.

Stawart, W. H. Locke, J. E. the count this morning attended by satisfact or date that the property of the count this morning attended by satisfact or date that the respective to 

# TOOK A BRIBE.

CONSTABLE AND LEGICIT

CHURH JUSTICE'S SERIOUS VIEW.

For accepting a bribe in his capacity of public servant, a Weihaivei constable was sentenced to

nine months' hard labour at the Criminal Sessions this morning. He was alleged by the Grown to have gone to a house in the village of Ping Shan, New Terri-

about them. When the constable seized the woman could have playedold man who was in possession of A police inspector testified that the illicit quium, the daughter of the woman prisoner was bound the household commenced to cry, over in 1922 on a charge of stealstated the Crown Solicitor, and alling a pound note while in domest. though the constable spoke an- lic service. stable accepted it.

hearing to-day:

The Chief Justice stated that prisoner had pleaded guilty to a very serious offence as great powers had to be given to public officers. He had abused them and a charge which it was very diflificult to prove had been brought home against him. His Lordship said, however, that he took the plea of the prisoner as an admis-I sion of his realisation of the fact. that he had done wrong and was sorry. He passed sentence accordingly.

Night Noises.

He had taken into consideration the fact that defendant ap- labour. peared to be in regular employment and was not dependent on a life of crime, said His Lordship in sentencing to three years' imprisonment a Chinese who pleaded guilty to having taken part in a robbery at Shamshuipo.

Entrance to the house in question was obtained late in the evening by a ruse, defendant calling out that he had a parcel for deivery. The occupants were then bound by defendant and others who were with him and a watch was taken. The noise made in an attempt to open a safe with a The letter referred to was hatchet, however, aroused the suswritten by Mr. Weeks, when picions of the next door neigh-Secretary of War, to President bours, however, and the a'arm was "unfit for his high administrative the time but the defendant was

Prisoner Who Was Shot.

extensive robbery at a Hunghom: Treaties, in order to permit the pawnshop appeared at the sessions formation of another Cabinet or, tempting to escape from the police. new Government is formed.

formed since. The man pleaded guiltz.

His Lordship said that he took a very serious view of all these cases of sobbery by two or more, particularly those in which the robbers used arms. He would take into consideration that the prisoner had helped in the administration of justice and that through his own fault in attempting to escape he had sustained injuries which had necessitated his remaining in hospital for three months.

"Sentenced to three years, hard

Took Fright, An attempted robbery at th Rwang Lee shipyard, Yaumati,

to have been armed with a revolver at the time.

The alleged assault consisted of pointing a revolver at the man in charge at the time. The prisoner was stated to have

one with a revolver and the other with a dagger. They took fright was chised and a revolver was 

JUDGE'S SCATHING REMARKS

"A LOATHSOME LUST.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Dec. 17. Hayley Morriss was Tound guilty on the whole 22 counts, is wife on all except six.

Mr. Justice Avory, in passing sentence, said nemesis had overof illicit opium to have obtained a wloathsome lust on young girls. bribe of \$20 for keeping silent The part played by Mrs. Mor-

riss was the most disgusting any

other dialect she understood him. She was found gagged and had to say that he wanted \$20. She bound to the hannisters but after FAMILY DISPUTE. went to the house of a friend and wards admitted she had tied herobtained the money and the con- self up. Morriss who is 37 years. of age, described himself as Prisoner pleaded guilty at the bill and bullion broker, and lived part of his life at Shanghai where he is stated to have inlibrests in an extensive business.

He purchased in 1922, Pippingford Park, consisting of a thousand acres, mainly pleasure

An earlier cable stated Hayley Morriss was sentenced to two years, with hard labour, for offences against girls under sixteen, twelve months, without hard labour, on other counts and orderedi to pny a sum not exceeding £1,000 towards the costs of the prosecution, the sentences to run consecutively. His wife was sentenced to nine months, with hard

## GERMAN CABINET.

ANOTHER DEADLOCK REACHED.

DEMOCRAT'S FAILURE.

(Reuter's Service.)

Berlin, Dec. 17. Herr Koch, the Democratic leader, has informed President Hindenburg that he is unable to form a Cabinet on a big coalition

A message from Berlin on December 5. said: The Cabinet has resigned on the return of Dr. Luther and Herr Stresemann from London, in accordance with The last of the robbers to ap- its decision to do so, after the to-day with his head swathed in the reconstruction of the present bandages. He had been shot in at- one, which is carrying on until a

but the Grown Solicitor assured The crisis is due to the earlier the jury that the bandages were action of the Nationalists. who not to do with the wound which suddenly decided to oppose the had now healed. An abscess had Locarno Treaties, and the consequent withdrawal of three Nationalist Ministers from the

# NEW SHAH.

AMERICA'S PROMPT RECOGNITION: 9

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, December 17. The publication of the telegram from President Coolidge, com gratulating the new Shah of gers failed in an attempted rop-Persia, is interpreted as settling very yesterday afternoon at No. the question of the United States 32, Western Street, mrst floor, recognition of the new regime in formed the subject of enquiry in Persia, paying the way for Mr. assault with intent to rob brought Philip Hoffman, the newly- Object of the visitors. against a Chinese who was alleged appointed Minister of Tcheran to proceed thither from Paris.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMER.

been in the company of two ether The B.L. B.s. "Booalder" from men both of whom were armed Leith. Middlechro', Antwerp, London and Straits left Bingapore for this port yesterday p.m. and is

# YESTERDAY'S GRUESOME

ROBBIER AA THE MOTTYE.

DISCOVERY.

The body of a Chinese coolie was discovered yesterday mornmy on the Shatin side of Beacon's Till in the New Territories in circumstances pointing to murder and robbery. The throat was found to have been cut, and the condition of the body showed tha the mari bad been done to death

Deceased occupied a matshed with others working on a catchment area. He was said to have nad en his person a \$10 bank note andi a watch, which probably accounts for the motive of the

ROATMAN THROWN OVERBOARD

ADOPTED SONS DETAINED.

boat master have been pointed East, to Angora. now in the custody of the police. COOLIE FIGHT:

Hospital.

# BARRISTER.

MEMBER OF SOCIETY OF GRAY'S INN.

MR. H. G. SHELDON.

Mr. Harold George Sheldon, barrister, of Gray's Inn, was enrolled this morning as a member of the local bar.

Application for approval, admission and enrolment was made. by the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, Attorney-General, who stated that Mr. Sheldon had been called to the bar of the honourable society of Gray's Inn in July 1922. The certificate of call had been deposited with the registrar also the affidavit filed.

The Chief Justice wished Mr. Sheldon happiness and success in the course of his practice in Hongkong.

# ARMED ROBBERY.

WESTERN DISTRICT ATTEMPT.

CHICKENS AS BAFT.

Two Chinese armed with dagwhen the women in the house gave the siarm on realising the exact

The men gamed entrance to the floor by precending to have come to self chickens which they carried with them, and in their nurry to escape they agandoned the poultry and also discarded their wespons consisting of daggers and wire LESES.

(Router & Service.)

# "FRIENDLY."

TURKS AND MOSUL DECISION.

"ANGORA TO SPHAK!"

(Reuber's, American Berowe, 6

Geneva, Dec. 17.

Tewnk Rushdi Bey, who has gone to Paris on reate to Angora, interviewed on him departure, said "our relations with Bugland will continue friendly."

. His protested at the decision of the Council; and added: "Henceforme it is, for Angora to speak We have now got to settle the question of Mosul with the Government of Iraq. Lam convinced the population of Mosal will not want to remain with Iraq."

EARLIER CABLES.

(Router's Service.)

London, Dec. 17.

Apart from relief that the problem has been settled, subject to Turkey's acceptance, very little enthusiasm is shown over the League's Mosul decision. There is an absence of comment in the "Dally Telegraph." The only During a dispute which took | papers which are in any way place on a marriage boat at Yau- lavourable are the "Times" and mati Bay yesterday morning, the "Morning Post." The former master was thrown overboard have the time has come to look A rescue was effected, and the forward and to make a vigorous man was taken to the Kwong leffort to establish intimate con-Wah Hospital where he was tact with the new Turkey. This found to have received bruises cannot be done in superficial conto his body in addition to suffer. versations at an hotel on the ing from the effects of the cold shores of some Swiss lake. The paper suggests sending a wise The four adopted sons of the Englishman; familiar with the

out as the assailants, and they are . The remainder of the newspapers are hostile on the ground of the expense to the British tax-A Chinese cargo coolie has paper and the possibility of evenalso been detained by the police tual conflict with Turkey. Cold for alleged participation in an comfort is drawn from the reaffray at the No. 5 wharf of the lifection "that the responsibility Kowloon Godowne yesterday. . berminates when Iraq is admitted Two coolies were wounded in to the Lagrant Line generally the head in the affray, and they agreed that General Laidoner's are now in the Kwong Wah report on the Turkish atrocities weighed heavily in the Council's deliberations and contributed to a unanimous decision.

# NOT SO DRY.

ALCOHOLIC POISONING DEATHS.

STARTLING STATISTICS.

ARouter's American Service.

New York, Dec. 18. Startling prohibition statistics were quoted by Mr. Buckner, United States attorney, who, in a speech, declared there were 511 deaths from alcoholic poisoning in New York City in 1925, compared

with 87 in 1918. Fifty pur cent. of the 5,000 samples of domestically manufactured liquor seized in 1920 were genuine whisky which comprised less than two per cent. of the larger amount seized in 1925.

Mr. Buckner, alluding to factories and offices in New York City, where bootleggers, equipped with colouring and seasoning fluids, manufactured, all varieties of liquor, using wood alcohol as a basis, declared the Prohibition problem no longer lay in Bum Row with its speciacular sea battles, but in finding a method to bottle up the stream of poisoned industrial alcohol continually flowing from plants officially controlled, of which at least forty million gallons reached bootleggers last year.

## FRANCE'S TRADE.

(Havas Agency.)"

London, December 17. French imports for the first pleven months of 1925 amounted to 38,685,000,000 francs, and 48,000,-DOO tons showing an increase of 2 544,000,000 france and a decresice of 8,000,000 tons compared

with 1924 Exports were 40,785,000,000 france and 28,000,000 tons m merese of 8 420 totallo france compared with last year.

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Beam in Darkness." "There is much talk just now about the apathy - of British traders, their lack of enterprise and failure to take full advantage of market openings abroad. British workmen are constantly crititised for their upwillingness to put their utmost into a concerted attack on trade depression. these strictures the British motor 6.00 industry, at least, may confidently plend. 'Not guilty,'" says the "Yorkshire Post"

"A fortnight, ago the motorcycle show proved that during the last few years Great Britain has easily out-distanced all her rivals in the motor-cycle market all over the world. In the motorcur market competition is much more severe, but the motor show at Olympia affords ample evidents that Great Britain can not only still make the best cars in the world, but that her manufacturers. are now able to offer such sheer value for money that export trade prospects are brighter than ever before, and are still steadily improving.

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of commerce and industry and it is products and support national Mining Company, according to its aystem, lecture meetings and incorporation papers, intends to magazines devoted to the encouroperate milling, smelting and re- As the first enterprises the sofining plants and operate, dig up clety will hold a large national and lease mines and mining products exhibition next year, though the date it still unfixed. Mr. Sugihara, former vice-pretaken by the new company im- sident of the Tekyo Chamber of mediately are understood to be Commerce and now director-inchief of the Japan Industrial Capital (full paid-up). Yem 100,000,000
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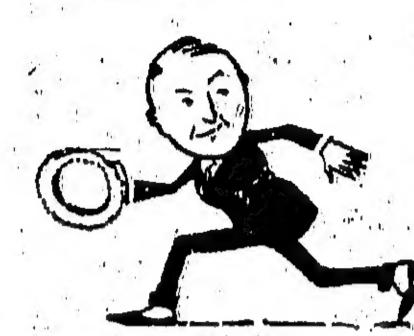
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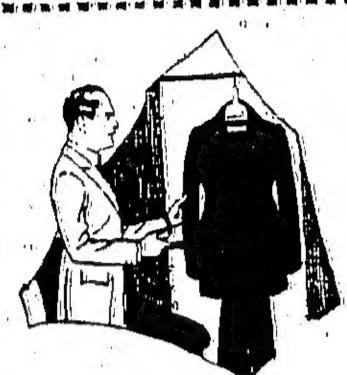
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in "card-sharper who calls himself Busselle as the result of an expensive game of cards in the train with the Lord Chief Justice of Englands There was King Edward's encounter with the small boy who had "come to see the bubly old King but wasn' going to wait any longer." And the late Duke of Norfolk was wanted off his own genes by an imbiguant tourist. It remains to be som, of course, whether Mr. Buldwin's assumptions of the tramp will be as complete as the late Dike of Devonshire's of the 'seedy.

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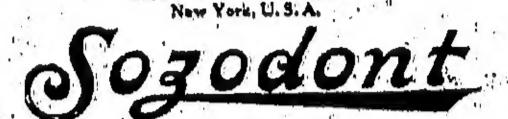
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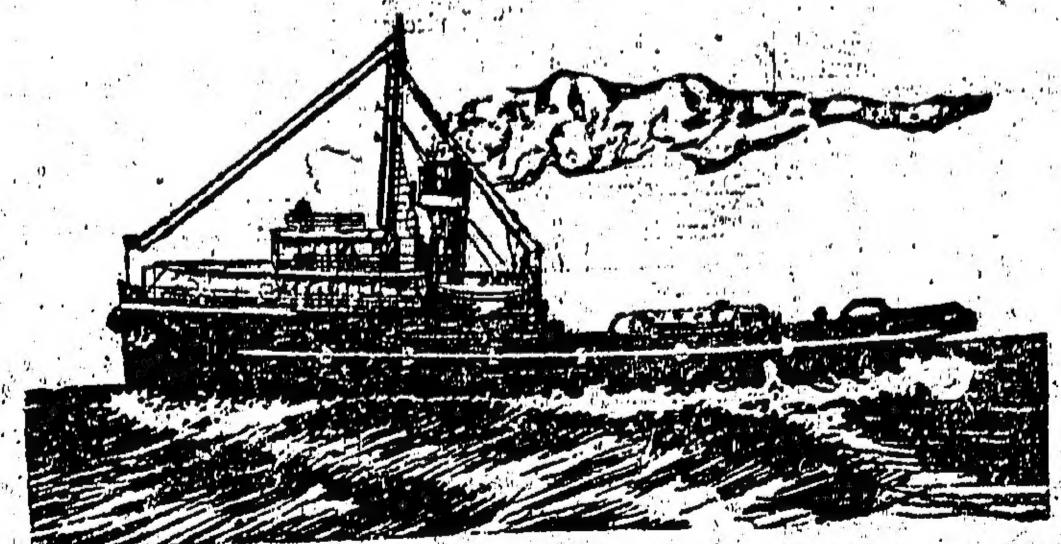
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# PRESS TRIAL REPORTS.

people soher by Acts of ment thas been proved. Making partial committee. It assumes them more moral by the same pro- perhaps more importance wher cess may also be found to be im- the movement is sponsored possible. This should not prevent an experienced former practhe passing of Acts which have a titioner and judge of the standing moral flavour. There is a move- of Lord Darling. ment on foot for the purification of Press reports of law court If Mr. Justice Darling's Bill upon this matter receives a second reading in the House of Lords, the matter may form the subject of enquiry by a joint committee of both Houses of Parliament. The Bill is designed to prohibit, under penalties, ranging up to £500 fine and three months imprisonment, the publication in the Press of matter liable to beinjurious to public morals. lays down that divorce case Press reports, for example, may contain only lists of parties and Browne. witnesses and statements of the grounds on which the proceedings are brought, the recital also of the legal points raised, with the texts of the summing-up, the findings and the judgments. Its introduction is the outcome of a feeling shared by lawyers and the public that the details published in connection with several recent cases at Home have been alike unhecescary and undesirable. The mental vitality in the theater is

merit, its general acceptance. Some would go a step-further and abolish entirely the publication of this class of news together with reports of the ordinary cases which figure in our police and other courts. There is at least one great newspader which volunturily 'excludes, all erime news from its pages. .. Its virility is undisputed. Its tone is magnificent. It may not attract, the arranged very methodically. salucious; it does attract the serious. If the whole newspaper would ensue especially to the young and adolescent mind. Just us capital punishment is no deterrent to the crime of murder, the publication of sordid details has proved no deterrent to the breaking of moral laws. More often than not, the publication brings pain and disgrace to those unhappily connected with the accused persons. The matter is The impossibility of making sufficient national importance to Parlia- warrant an enquiry by an im-

# THEY SAY THAT

Longien.

rivolous. -- Mme. Pavlovs.

Old age is a good and pleasan thing. - Miss Jane Harrison.

ness Mr. Oliver Opions. Life is made too easy for a buby.

-Dr. Evelyn Baywell. There is nothing so uplifling as

Railway bravelling is the best possible school of human putience. -Father Ronald Knox

Women do not show moderation whom they are keenly interested in

We must recover our sense of proportion, and get nway from the war spirit. Bir John Simon

Generally speaking, all expecicramped by firencial considerations

proposed enactment that should Violet Venbruch.

# love Wimbledon, - Mile.

Mothers-in-law are not all bad -Mr. Justice Avery

Popular dancing to-day is too

Nothing is so expensive as cheap-

somothing .- Miss Cowdray.

# SHREDS AND PATCHES.

variety of letters so far as they emanate from China and Japan. places. The first is from Clermany made yesterday by the jury which the second from Kumasi inquired into the circumstances.

To the Mister Editor in chief

We sign with the expression

levely friendship with me from time

to time. I will be very glad to

sond you everything you requires

bible. And I too will sand you

think you will not feel hazy for res-

catricla feathers in returning.

asm putting before you

Their verdict was suicide whilst Dear Sir!

of unsound mind. Impledded we present you twi Final evidence was that of Mr. copies of our newspaper ". .. W. G. Gerrard, Assistant Super-Number 16 thore will be interestintendent of Police, North, who ing separately for you, because the the gavotte, the schottische or spoke to having been telephoned hauling article fronts the Finglish the minuet. Too true, we fear, by deceased on the night of Music-Festival at Bad Flomburg but also too late. (Germany) on a large purbicularity. December 1, with reference to his We will also work for a interest feeling very ill... Witness advised fionali agnexation, of peoplesdeceased to go to hospital at once by music, and we would be Foreign Secretary, who has just. and informed him that a launch very much obliged to you for a published his "Twenty-five would be at Sai Kung carry the Woll-wishing mention of the called Years," recalling the rise and article reparately of the met break following morning to take him. --- in your esteemed newspaper. this case we beg a proof. In the agreeable agreeable hope of a fre-

A message was received the next day that Sergt Blackman quantur exchange of newspaper, was feeling thuch better and would not go to hospital. Witness heard our greatest esteem. nothing further until the night when the body of the Sergeant was found in hed. Witness went at once to the station and saw the those few ontentuinments. body in the bosition in which it was first found. A police revolver was one day reading a certain was grasped in one hand and linglish newspaper, which is known other, an unlighted match being in I saw many mines in it, but I amthe palm. The bullet took some mediately charmed by your mame time to locate and was eventually and address. "I was very glad to Raleigh who wrote his "History found at the farther end of the see that name. Therefore I have of the World" while imprisoned door and bounced off my bresher in England; It am sure

LONELY STATIONS.

POLIOB: OFFICERS: AND

MEDICAL TESTS.

The recommendation that when

officers are posted to lonely

stations they should pass some

sort of medical examination was

attending the death of Sergeant

A. H. Blackman.

Witness looked round to see if he could find anything to explain the Sergeant's action as he thought it appeared to be a case of suicide. He read some of the Sergeant's recent correspondence from his mother, sister friend, but there was nothing in the letters to cause him any pond me early in the time." worry or mental trouble.

Witness and another officer checked the revenue money, amounting to something like \$500, RANDON REMARKS. most unex- secretary of the National Federaand also all the books and records. Everything was perfectly correct, and everything was

Change of Disposition. "It is said by his comrades who world voluntarily decided to re- knew him better than I did, that at the hands of the Sultan their children's shoes in repair. press crime news, we might be he had changed in his disposition almost certain that great good lately and had become moody and suffered from fits of depression. At other times he was exceptionally bright. Most of his friends remarked about this change which took place during the last six months," added Mr. Gerrard.

This concluded the evidence, and the foreman of the jury, Mr. E. G. M. Grimble asked if European officer was required to undergo any medical examination when he was transfered to a station in the New 1 Territories. Witness added that they did not undergo such an examination.

"As a matter of fact, as my experience goes. I never knew a case of an officer, going out there if he did not feel fit enough. It is notsuitable for every type of man. Some object to being sent there and some ask to be sent. If the Sergeant did not feel up to it he should not have gone," explained

witness. In reply to a question by the Coroner, witness said that in his district now there was no station which had only one European stationed there. There was either a married man or two single

After a short consultation the jury returned the verdict and recommendation given above, and the Coroner intimated that their recommendation would be forwarded to the proper quarter.

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Lord Grey; the former British prosecution of the Great War, is not the first historian who has had to scale a seemingly impassible wall of doubts before persuading rimself to go on with his task. Le writes in his introduction :-

"Two temptations that impair the value of their work inevitably beset men who write memoirs. One is a tendency to reconstruct the past to suit the present views and feelings of the writer; the "other" is a natural desire to set half burnt eigarette in the us 'John O' London's Weekly." his own part in affairs in a pleas-

The story is told of Sir Walter; apparently having hit made up my mind to have you as in the Tower of London, that one day he saw a brawl taking .. place in the courtyard. On comyou will be very glad to keep a paring notes on it with others who saw it at closer range, however, he found his own view so mistaken that he tore up his first from me. Try to send me one holy start on his history in despair.

Lord Grey questioned the wisdom of his own attempt, but like Raleigh, went on. One is glad

One of the According to Philip J. Ryan, pected of the tion of Merchant Tailors in industrial groups to profit by Great Britain, the charge that the war and post-war turmoil London is shabby arose from the has been the hat manufacturers. fact that on a recent Sunday The Turks, having for a century the tailors were having their tenaciously clung to the fez, annual church parade. It is prowhich they accepted grumblingly | yerbial that cobblers cannot keep Muhammad, II, have now aban- Now it appears that failors candoned it for Western headgear. | not keep their own, trousers As a memorial to their new poli- pressed.

# NANSEN'S BIG FAMILY.

Everything about Nansen is His person towers above colleagues. But it is for the bigness of his heart that the members of the League Nations call him the Greatheart of the League," writes Mr. J. H Harris in the "Star" revealing an international romance of philanthropy of which few people are aware. It is an amazing yet fine story Mr. Harris has to tell.

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"Another little family adopted was 6,000 refugees from the Rus- although the great family desian Revolution who had sought creases day by day, those that a footing in Egypt, thereby costlug Great Britain \$1,250,000 a sen." year. When Nansen agreed to add those to his ever-growing family the British Government

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"Right royally and generously several Governments are helping Nansen in his paternal efforts. a member of the League, is now

"Thus the good work goes on, giving hope to the outcasts and succour to the suffering. But remain are a terrible strain upon the father of the family-Nan-

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WORKS COUNCIL SUCCESS.

cerned with the cromotion of Ladds: -- " . of affairs." There aiready exist- the junior male employees. It is flashes by on the screen. ed, therefore, at Bournville the composed of twelve youths with a . As a photographic achievement machinery for the wider scheme Director and three other rearrage. the play is remarkable. that has beer developed. These ment representatives. The Manthe success which has "attended Chairman, proside at alternate. the Bearnville experiments from meetings, the Youths' undertaking.

In 1917, in anticipation of the h troubles certain to come from struction period, the Whitley Correctiffee was appointed mplee and consider suggestions for securing a permanent, improvement in the relations be-Ewsen employers and workmen. Broadly ansatting, if advocated a triple acherce of Works Councils (in individual industries). Districk Councilegand National Coun-The anhere of each, guillimently' indicated by the margest. In certain industries we read the paraphiet unionly rately does not give their or les some "seventy Whitley Care ills were established: in others after recommendations were unorca. Roumeville took to theer at once as sibe troper development of the schemes it had had in force for seventeen years before.

others to do likewise.

TRADE UNIONISM. Two features of the experiment should be mentioned. No whternot was made to detach employees from their trade unions: rather the reverse; for says the report "there, is advantage to both sides in negotiation with organised labour." And a list is given of eighteen trade unions -a sufficient indication of the diversity of unterests which Bournville comprises -- among which its 10,000 male and female employees are affocated. In the second place, the scheme was drawn up jointly by workers and management sitting in conference for nearly a year. "That is to say, the scheme was based on mutual confidence and was not preconceived by management and then imposed by gentle persuasion on their part." Finally it should be mentioned that the been one of mutual concern.. management did not merely accept the scheme; it did its best to push and make it a success.

The organisation which now nicians of improving methods. really "runs" Bournville consists : The war-damaged worker has transfer as under, as from of three parts or stages as fol- been absorbed in the organisation December 10, 1925. lows:--

composed of elected members of ment of ex-service men has been a shop, under a foreman or fore- accomplished with very woman, in the proportion of not less than one representative to quickly removed. every ten employees on the men's women's.

tee, composed of representatives sibility is spreading. elected from the Shop Committees, known as Group Representa- burst of new life generally in tives. (There are eight groups).

Stage 3. The Works Council. composed of representatives of each of the groups, and elected have been taken a little aback" by the whole of the employees in we read, at the complicated that group.

A STAIRWAY.

muchinery. Management representation. bottom, in the Shop Committee, munist seeks to make them idle, presented by Sir Hercules, G. R. on which the departmental heads eit as members, and at the top as the constituent half of the Works

All full time employees over wixteen may vote but only those of five years' service, and twenty and twenty-one years of age. respectively, for women and men are eligible as members of Commiltees or Council. Probleutions PARTY CANAL STATE OF THE PARTY 
are, taken to ensure a continua supply of fresh blood by requiring all members after a certain period of service to stand down for a year before seeking reelection. And representatives on the Council can only be elected by an absolute majority of

votes cast. The business of these bodies In those days when there is no question of more pressing includes practically everything Importance than the relation- that would come under the headships of Capital and Inbour lings, working conditions, wages, remarks the "N.-C. Daily News." | technical methods, welfare and and chocolate strong tendency to pass over to happy. has been sent as after in reading, ing representatives of the men, of audacious adventures. all others have the adopted a demeanours and recommend what develops affords not only buch a the beginning of this against representatives and two established Works Commistees domeanour among juveniles. "who see, duthes were largely cons In this connection the remort!

the o's Set might well encourage the office in rotation.

ANTICIPATING A CRISIS! to much it. The momotion of education among employees am enormous park of the Councille

Under the Bournville Works Educational Scherne all employees up to the age of 18 altend a day continuation school, and many acilities are provided for extending their education voluntarily after that age, yet it might be recorded that the Council in disposing of the first welfare grant made by the firm in 1919, of £2,000, affocated at least half the amount to further schemes of coincation, such as the awarding of scholarships, lectures for work-people, etc., and the proportion of the grant so devoted has tended to increase.

. And from the outset the en- | pany. ployees have taken an increasing Interest in technical methods and 5.30 p.m. Reserve Company. Concerns of business policy and freely lap the management for information on these subjects. This article is already long

but space must be allowed for the following summary of results claimed for the scheme, not by the management be it observed. but by "the secretary, who acts on behalf of the workers on the

IMPROVING METHODS. the Suggestion Scheme the work- 10, 1925. ers are as desirous as the tech-

in greater numbers than at Stage I. The Shop Committee, many works, and the re-settle- Company to Reserve Company.

"jars," while these have been Discipline is increasingly beside, and every twenty on the coming a matter of mutual con- 5 Platoon to Reserve Company. cern, and the habit on the part of Stage 2. The Group Committee the worker of accepting respon-

> Finally there has been an out resign from the Corps, as from works activities.

One or two employers, inquiring into the Bournville scheme. nature of its machinery and the cost. But as the report justly There is thus, in this edifice says:-"Is the time, trouble, and of democratic representation an expense involved by the successinter-linking stairway from bot ful establishment of Whitley tom to top which enables the Councils greater or less than humblest voice to get grievances that the nation incurs by con- wearing the King's Uniform on proving conditions, and this with- putes?" In the main, investigato receive Her Royal Highness overloading the representative all-round advantages of the scheme. One may imagine that Communists are its greatest the other factor in the co-opera- opponents. For the Bournville send in his name to the Adjutant tive principle, enters into the employees are diligent, satisfied without delay. scheme at two points; at the and prosperous and the Com-

discontented and beggarly.

## "CAPTAIN BLOOD."

ROMANCE OF SPANISH

BIG QUEEN'S FILM.

Rafael Sabatini's, romances are peculiarly adapted to cinema presentation and in "Cuptain Blood," as a Shanghai critic has pointed many "culture should be interest- suggestions for the promotion out, now showing at the Queen's negligence to provide means ed in what has been done at of general efficiency and the Theatre, the alliance between her support, was again before M. Bournville, the home of the worker's well-being. There is a story and picture is especially R. E. Lindsell at the Central

All this is subject in a management. For instance, there witty, persecuted and finally rejetteresting booklet which are Discipline Tribunals include trieving his fortunes by a series The French divorce law from a solicithe case only feet dipprise that which examine cases of mis- romantic period in which the plot tor in Shanghai. method which produces such shall be done with the culprit picturesque historical background G. K. Hall Brutton (for the degood results. It has to be re- There is even a junior Discipline but a marvellous opportunity for fence) claimed that a divorce membered, of course status is far Tribupal consisting of two man contuming, which is used to the best advantage. To a short ed from her former husband, an contary, the Chailary from had youths to deal with minor mis- haired, partially clothed amisence, said the "North Chica Daily News" when the picture was shown at Shanghair the elaborate the employees' weithre and many | And inheresting development, curled wigs, plumed hats and measures on a taken untatively complementary to the Works bedisened attire are almost unmeasures or a upon the temperature to the works believable. One wonders whether had no legal ground to support him hard at work in his laborawhich enabled the workers to Youths' Committee, which looks commance went out with knee take a 'arger stare in the control after the interests and welfare of threeches as exploit, after exploit

hand-to-hand engagement things do not grow in a day, but agement Chairman and Youths' tween the Spanish and English that he had considered the case in the possibilities are very hopeful. cinema obtains its effects is a summons, as he had not sufficient fore we shall be far enough, adcontinual miracle to the bayman levidence to proceed with the vances to attempt to cure cancer's At the outset, as no doubt in and the gases of the audience in some evitably, much of the Council's the big scenes of "Captain kis." Worship: I understood Pahour in the post-war recon- time was taken up with com- Filoud" are involuntary tributes right up to recently from what has plaints, but these have long to the director. The production been brought to my notice outside been in caring and inequalited since become quite secondary to is lavishly outfitted with plot and the Court that this first marriage tumour, and that is a very difreally constructive work. Thus counterplot, mutinies, revolutions, took place in France and that the ferent thing from curing a sponby the time of the coal dispute heroic rescues, lovely damsels, last marriage took place in Hongin 1920, the system was working deep-dyed villains, inhuman cruel- korg. so well, that the Council proved ties, superman achievements. J. Mr. Hind: That is so. I would most valuable in gaticipating the Warren Kerrigan is as resource. have to prove the validity of this crisis, and preparing measures ful a hero as any cinema patron divorce, but first I have to prove could desire and Jean Paige as that her previous husband was for her Captain Blood.

## VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

RIFERS AND BAYONETS. be returned to Volunteer Read- to do this. quarters before the Christmas

MINIATURE RANGE Range has been allotted

Holidays.

Tuesday, 22nd December PROMOTION.

No. 779 Sergeant Hancock, J. En Armoured Car Company to be Company Sergeant Major, as from Dec. 10, 1925.

REVERSIONS.

No. 511 C. S. M. Eager, O. Armoured Car Company, No. 641 | Brutton would put that document L/Bdr. T. Williams, Artillery in front of you and that would Company and No. 554 A/L/Corpl. | shift the whole onus at once. Smith, W.L., Mounted Infantry No objections being raised by The question of output has Company are permitted to revert Mr. Brutton, the summons was to the rank of Privates at their withdrawn. Through the development of own request, as from December

TRANSFERS.

The following are permitted to

No. 511 Pte. Elager, O. A. C. No. 641 Pte. Williams, T. Arty.

few Company to Reserve Company. No. 554 Pte. Smith, W.L., M.I. Company to No. 1 Platoon.

No. 629 Pte. MacCrae, D., No. RESIGNATIONS.

The following are permitted to business experts. December 15, 1925.

No. 506 Pte. Mills, P. W. F., Armoured Car Company. No. 993 Pte. Curwen. W.F. Armoured Car Company. No. 393 Spr. Longfield, Engineer Company.

> L. D. Joll, Captain Adjutant, H.V.D. Corps.

NOTICES.

All men in the British Empire redressed or to take part in im- stant industrial wars and dis- Christmas Day 1914 were eligible out overlapping and without tors have readily recognised the the Princess Mary's. Christmas gift box.

Any such member, who has never received the gift, should

The Artillery Challenge Cup.

Robinson, was won on November 22nd, 1925 by No. 1. (City) Section Artillery Company, Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps The Lugara Cup, presented by Sir F. J. D. Lugard for shooting at unknown ranges, was won on Q December 6th, 1925 by the Mount ed Infantry Company. The Scot-

tish Company were second, and

the Engineer Company third:

MARRIAGE TANGLE.

THE CASE OF THE

KWARDETIW SHOMUS

The case in which Madame Leona Maurin is summoning her husband, M. Louis Maurin, formerly manager of the Compagnie Optorg, for alleged desertion and Musistracy this morning after industry, to nake the two sides the Council functions which are Captain Blood is the bean ideal fortnight's adjournment granted realise that their interests are usually associated entirely with of hero, handsome, humorous, at the request of Mr. W. B. Hind (for the complainant) who desired to obtain an opinion on the

> At the previous hearing, M which Madame Maurin had obtain-English art student in France, was not legal within the construction of the British law, although it might be valid under French law, and that consequently titled to such truintenance.

the prestily feminine become is domiciled in France and that the unite worth the trouble she makes French divorce law would be good. i cannot prove that at the moment. I have nobody available to prove cannot proceed with the case further. It may be that if the parties do not come to a settle-

marriage?

which is a divorce decree from tumour refuse to hold, and it is the Paris Court between an Eng- impossible for the "animal to be lishman and a Frenchwoman who inoculated with cancer again. were married in America:

His Worship: You realise that although the onus is on you, you feel that it would be better for you to withdraw?

Mr. Hind: Yes, because Mr.

# VICKERS LIMITED.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Dec. 17. After a rather lively" meeting lasting 23/4 hours, the shareholders of Vickers Limited adopted, by an everwhelming majority, the reconstruction proposals proposed by the independent. Committee of Enquiry consisting of financial and

London, Nov. 25 .- The death has taken place of Mr. William the early '90s.

FRESH HOPE.

FOR VICTIMS OF

Has a cure for cancer at last been discovered?

After years of experiment Dr. 2 Thomas Lumsden, of the fister Institute of Preventive Medicino, has discovered an antiserum which can be obtained cheaply in | large quantities from horses, and which has completely cured cancer in animals inoculated with tumour cells.

The dector is hopeful, from his experiments, that the antiserum will prove equally effective in the case of human to Mgs, and he has given up his private practice in order to devote kimself exclusively to experimental, work under a grant of C. 000 a year for six years mad by the Grand Council of the reitist impire Cuncer

"It is too early at present to anything definite," Lumsden told a "Sunday Express representative who found her Claim. On the other hand, bory at the Lister Institute; "and Madaine Maurin ciairned that I do list want to raise people's being legally married to the de- homes unduly. While, however, fendant in finnskons she was en- it is not possible to state certain-. My that the antiserum will care This morning Mr. Hind stated cancer in people we can say that ships as well as the attack of the all its aspects and he thought the We are only in the experimental ships on the Januaican fort is heat thing he could do at the stage at present, and it will take surprisingrity realistic. How the proment was to withdraw the months, and possibly years, belin human heings.

> "So far my experiments have taneous new growth. But, in spite of this consideration, the results do seem to indicate a hopeful line of inquiry. The

antiserum ased cari be obtained in large quantities from horses, so that if its use does prove to be offective there will be no difficulty in obtaining a cure."

Dr. Lumaden's experiments some far have consisted in inoculating the divorce, and for that reason I rate with cancer tumours, which when they have got a firm hold have been treated with the antiserum. When the antiserum is ment I will have to re-open the got into the lymph round "the case, but I hope they will come to tumour cells, and is maintained, All Ribes and Bayonets must an agreement and I will not have there for some hours in good; concentration, it kills, many of His Worship: So far as this the malignant cells and damages Court is concerned the marriage others. Absorption of the prowhich took place in Hongkong I ducts of the degeneration of these am bound to presume is a legal leebs acts like a vaccine, and calls forth a general active immunity Mr. Kind: You will be able to which completes the cure locally. S. 5.30 p.m. Armoured Car Com- presume it is a legal marriage Not only is the cancer growth until my friend, Mr. Brutton, thus treated completely cured, placed before you a document but any subsequent grafts of

SUCCESSFUL TESTS.

Dr. Lumsden is now actively! engaged in further work in his laboratory, and so far all his experiments have resulted in complete success. Since his experiments he has received thousands of letters from people suffering from cancer all over the world. "I can do nothing to help these!

people at present." he told a "Sunday Express" sepresentative. "And it is heartbreaking ! to read their letters. But the experimenal work is going on so is successfully that we hope to be able to make some more definite announcement before long.

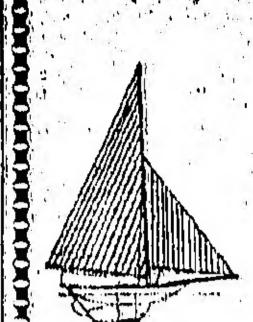
"If the antiserum does have the same result on men as on animals, cancer will have become curable, but there are many stages on the journey to be reached before we can come

"However; the outlook is very hopeful, and it seems very possible that cancer will soon be conquered at last."

"The King has let it be known Cail. He was for 30 years the that he reads a chapter of the honorary treasurer of the Rugby Bible every day of his life," said Union, and with Rowland Hill Engineer-Rear-Admiral A. R. and Temple Guerdon, waged a Emdin, speaking at a demonstrafight against professionalism in tion arranged by the World! Evangelical Alliance at Wembley.

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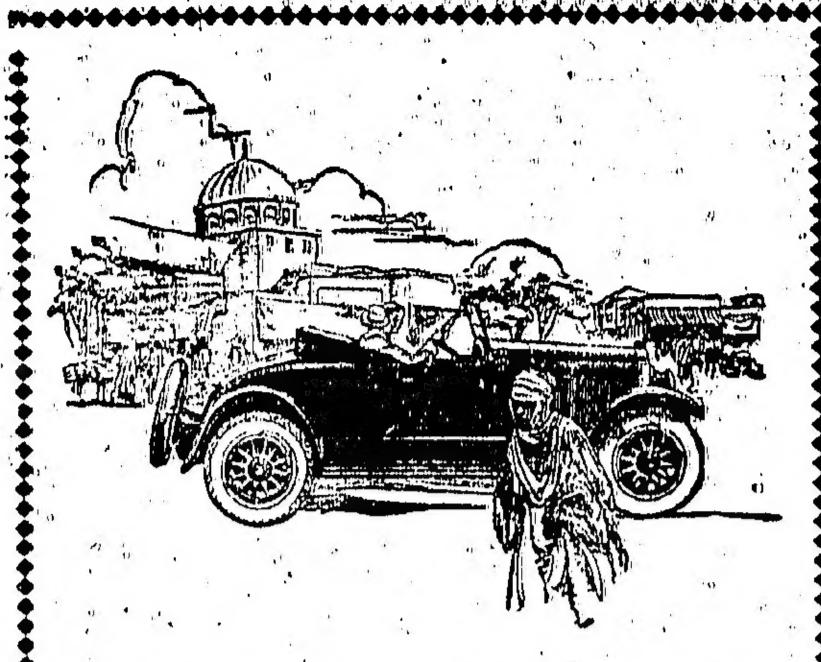
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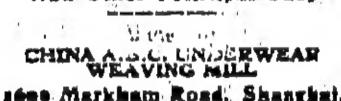
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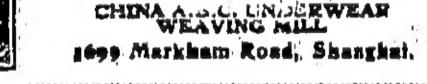
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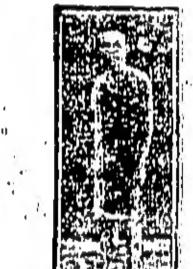
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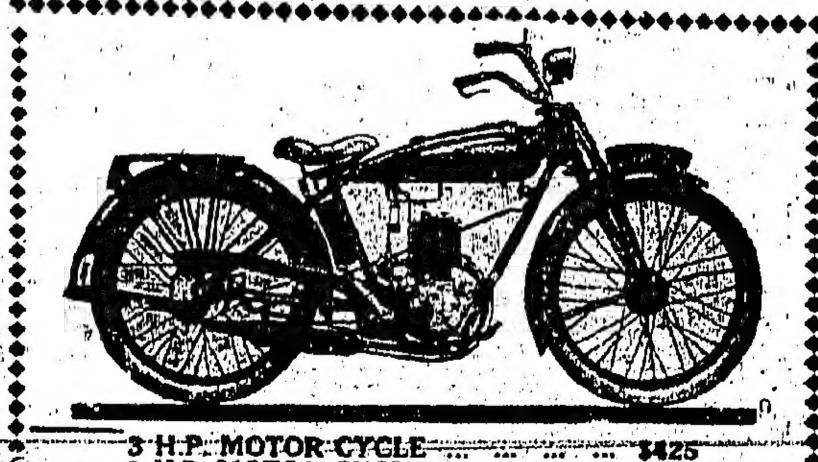
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# AND CENERAL. LOCAL

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World War, the statistical depart ment has announced. During the in commissions 40 months of warrard the Government spent \$25,000,000,000 which placed a military tax of \$750 on each peasant's bomestead. By the end of 1916, Russia had mobilised 15,780,000 mon, which represented 47 per cent, of the form able-bodied men of the country.

The Archbishop of Canterbiary, the Bishop of Loridon, band the bord Mayor, as trustees of St. Paul's Cabbodral, in a le'ter to "The Times," publicly thank the hovesty is a revue sketch in which givers of the generous contributions, at critical moments, the actors as to the Curbedge breezewation Bund, the saddeness for guidbuce and the removed formula parties of the Emplaction of the hardyngues in changed pirm. They also pay a bribate to according to the appointment wishes. the property of the case with The estimate of 200 different ways which the firstly observeded the in which the sketch can present from remote corners of the Empire. Atances. including the bank-blocks of Aust tender, and still coming in.

Mes, biana Watts is arriv-Hongkong on Monday by the "President" Van Borney' and will lecture at the Phenix Royas that same evening, December 21, at 9.15 "The Principles of Greek Balance" and on Tuesday afterfinoon, December 22, at 5.15 on "The Science and Art. of Perfect Movement." Mrs. Wates makes her lectures particularly interesting by illustrating them. in her own person and ends the second lecture by giving an archaic Greek dance. All profits to go to the M. C. L. funds. Booking at Moutrie's.

A new era in which the newspaper and magazine editors of the world will no longer be permitted to exert their time-honoured prerogative of rejecting or accepting as they choose the articles submitted by their contributors is jubilantly builed by Italian authors who see a new world precedent in a decision by the Fascist. organization controlling "the activities of intellectual workers. The decision is that special committees of persons of "recognized and proved competence" shall pass upon the merits of manuscripts and, accordingly, "recommend them or advise against their nublication.

The return of notifiable die Three months ago a Philadel . When a four-year-old boy. profession for feel estate activities; The day before at the same spot. Russia lost 754,000 mon in the and spot was lie success as a dealer that he has already \$110,000

vent of amargency.

London's latest thinkbrich "Phy Pinn a" superal! Donations sometan modest one in the circum-

> Who "Bultemore Sun! prolishes the following tales of the land boom in Florida :--- Two years agona mult

in a place called Baranola bough It (MK) nores of land just outside the town limits for \$50,000 and took a paid nor in with him on donal shares. A little later a friend carne along teconstrict bracia at your at technique faria in the converty, which was given to him for \$110,000; Soon affer framily time city of Barasola bought "200 acros for \$50,000; the original price of the whole 1.000: And now the original buyer has refused an offer of \$250,000 for his conclibited share in the balance:

managed to stop the sale of yarn inspiration is lacking,"

cases for the 24 hours ended phian came to West Palm Beach Tolleres, Glasgow, was killed by Scon he abandoned the musical a man whose little son was killed a

> What Press advertising doing for Brighton, was explained by the obbirman of the Publicity Furture of the ordinary tele- Committee of the Town Council. phone pervice in case of storms, fires Traffic returns furnished why the or curthquakes has caused the Southern Rullway, he said, showed Japanese Department of Com that in nine weeks from July to munications to attempt to link radio | September last 2,250,000 passenapparates with telephone lines of gers arrived at Brighton Central the Empire. The thur hoped that Station, an increase of 500,000 on communication may be available in the figures for the same period of last your. In the first two weeks of August the number of arrivals was two and a half times as great. The conneil decided to grant a inther sum of £1,850 for the Winder compaign, the greater part of swhich is con-marked for Press

> > A foreign friend who wells over Ho Dublin the other day to keep an E appointment says a Home writer had bear directed to the street be wanted, but was unable when he got, there tes be certain blade in wast the right street beganse the more was in Irish. Stopping a passer-by, be asked the name of the street. The resident looked at the name | and had to confess that he couldn't read it. A feeling of shame overcasporhim, however, and he drew himsulf up proudly, saying: "Bat me son will grow up able to rade My friend politely intimated hate us he didn't intend to sojourn | adefinitely in Dublin he should have to roly upon someone else for Besichatas.

The "Rade Plag," George Bernard Shaw once likes-The appearance of Captain ed to the "funeral manch of" Amundson, the famous Arctic ex- fried cell," is not to be superseded plorer, in the Distinguished at present. A committee of repre-Steamgers'; Gallery of the Man serialive Socialists, charged with obsenter Royal Exchange when he finding a substitute, report that visited Manchester caused business is connet be done. Every artist in to be suspended for a few minutes. | touch with the Labour movement. Said Mr. Twist, of Shaw! "He was invited to sit down and think !. must be an important chap. He out something! Some complied, is one of the very few who have but none succeeded." "Myidently 2 last a loss on these boards." . "Ah," commissed in their final report. replied Mer. West, of Oldham, "but A suggestion that salemnik servent does to know what he's coom for? side the movement should supply I'll sell thin. West, he's bin to the see thing on a cash plus coyalty pole, and now the stocom to see basis is rejected, as 'too, sugwhat sears of folk we are who are gestive of the commercial spirit of

# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Reuter cables from Rome that the King has hastened to the bed-side of the Queen Mother, who is ill with congestion of the lung at Bordighera;

Among the passengers who re-turned to the Colony yesterday by the "Empress of Canada" were Mr. J. Finlay Miller, Mr. J. McHutcheon, Mr. A. C. Dome, Mr. A. S. Gubbay and Mr. F.

Mr. S. Matsumura, director of the Fishery Bureau, has been appointed Jaran's Government represniative to the Russo-Japanesa Fishery Conference which is to take place in Moscow this month. Mr. T. Kothita and Mr. M. Ido have been selected advisors to the representative. Mr. Matsumura and his party left Tokyo for Moscow on December 2.

The death has taken place of Mr. H. E. S'carns of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd. Mr. Btearns, who until recently was Manager of the Society's Branch at Robe, had been in poor health for some time and only recently passed through the Colony on the Mantes on his way bome on sick have. He was, however, unable to proceed further than Colombo where he entered hospital and, following an operation he passed away on the December 14.

D. B. W. Myers, partor of Kobe Union Church, officiated at the wedding of Mr. Young Yipshan of the Chartered Bank staff in Kobe and Miss Shoung Kan-fong, the service being held at the Shan Shih Association. The marriage service was performed through an interpreter who translated the English service into Chinese. The bridegroom was attired in foreign sivis and the hude ware a black embroidered equi over a skirt of crimical trimmed with a silver Tringe wither veil was of orange blessom und stro curried a bouquet of orange and chrysenthermme and

An enjoyable dance, arranged by the ship's company of H.M.S. "Hawkins," was held at the Seamen's Institute last night and proved very successful.

Mr. P. A. Cox. Assistant Oriental Manager of the Canadian Pacific Steamship, Ltd., stationed at Shanghai, is Hongkong on a short visit.

Mr. G. E. Costello, agent of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., at Yokohama, came down on the "Empress of Canada," on a visit to Hongkong, accompanied by Mrs. Costello.

A concert is to be held in St Stephen's Girls' College to-mor-, row at 7.30 p.m. in aid of the Cathdral Organ Fund and the Mission to Seamen. A fine pro-St. Stephen's girls and the pupils of Fairlen School.

Ed Gallagher, of the vaudeville team of Gallagher and Shean, whose song, 10h, Mr. Gallagher," won him and his partier fame and fortune Gallagher is now in a sanitarium, penniless and ill. The author of the famous lines, it is said, never shared in the glory and money the tune gave the team.

The Crivigengower Crickel Club will hold at 9.15 p.m. to-morrow the third dance of the season which was to have taken place last week seconding to the appouncement

Reuter cables the news of the death of the old-time cricketer, A. N. Hornby, who captained Lancashire nearly 20 seasons. The late Mr. Hornby was one of the most popular cricketers Laneashire has had:

Invitations to Rabindranath Tagore and Mahatma Gandhi to visit the United States and take part in meetings of the Fellowship of Faith, to be held in the principal cities of America, will be delivered to the Hindus by Mrs. Valorie Langeloth and Mrs. Alice McKay Kelley. The invitations were extended by Fellowship groups of New York and Boston."

Unlike his predecessors in office who preferred to remain quietly in Rome, Benito Mussolinitravels about Italy a good deal. In the past three years he has visited all the principal towns of the kingdom, and sometimes he remains absent from the capital for several days. He either travels by train, by car or by air. plane, and is only accompanied by two private secretaries. The Premier now has a special train at his disposal which enables him 5 to go to and fro at his pleasure. It consists of an engine, a luggage van, two first-class carriages and two saloons. The president's carriage is divided into three compartments a bedroom, a study and a fairly large / reception saldon. The train is provided with a special radio apparatue for reception and fransmission of

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LAWN TENNIS.

BRITISH TEAM IN SOUTH

RESULTS AHEAD OF MAIL

(Times of Ceylon.)

Port Elizabeth, Nov. 25.

The Port Eliabeth results were

MEN'S SINCLES.

Eames (Great Britain), best

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.

MEN'S DOUBLES.

Britain), beat Richardson and

Davies, the South African doubles

The Grahamstown results wers

MEN'S SINGLES.

LADIES' SINGLES.

"MIXED DOUBLES.

Crole Rees and Miss Ridley

(Great Britain), beat De Villiers

MEN'S DOUBLES.

Crole Rees and Summerson

(Great Britain) defeated Chap-

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.

(Great Britain) defeated Miss

Mellor and Miss Stone, 7-5, 6-2.

MIXED DOUBLES.

Mrs. Watson and Crole Rees

Miss Ridley and Summerson

(Great Britain) defeated Miss

Stone and Knowling, 8-6, 6-2.

Howard, Johnston, Key. Re-

serves: Mair, Stewart.

(Great Britain) defeated Miss

Richards and Chapman, 6-1, 6-2.

Mrs. Watson and Miss Ridley

man and De Villiers, 6-8, 6-2, 7-5.

beat Miss Richards, 6-3, 6-2.

and Mrs. Mellor, 6-2, 6-2.

Summerson (Great Britain),

Mrs. Watson (Great Britain),

champions, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4.

as follow:-

Godfree and Eames (Great

Miss McKane (Great Britain),

Miss McKane and Miss Colyer

as follow:-

Kirby, 6-2, 6-1,

# CHINA MAIL "SPORTS PAGE

HOME F.A. CUP.

SECOND ROUND REPLAYS

(Reuter's Survice.)

DECIDED.

London, Dec. 17.

Replays in the F.A. Cup, second round proper, resulted:-Rochdale 1, Chilton Colliery 2. Charlton I, Queen's Park Rang- over the flat during the past

[Note:—The second round has new been completed. In round 3 on Jan. 9. Charlton are at home to Huddersfield (league champions and post-Was Cup winners); and Chilton Colliery wisit South Shields.]

# MID-WEEK CRICKET.

RUNDAHON TAKES 13 WICKETS,

HE MES. "TEXMAN" DEFEATED.

of second wickel martnership of the Aga Khan, £32,974. · 6d mas by Zimmerm, 6427 and Shadashadan 1700 payed the was to a total of 2000 mas for Mr Ponsonly Fanc's XI Poklighom vesterday.

HEMES, "Tamor" were there dusmissed for 83 and 18.

the captured 3 wickets with his entries received! Bush I'll deliveries off which no min was scored. In his first over of the second innings he missed the "had brock" after getting wickets a with his third and fourth bulls.

Mr. Ponsonby Fane's XI.

Zimmern, « Fuller, b Ingham ..... S. O. Shahabudin, b Dearle ....

C. W. Lum, c Burston, b Coomber - constitution and a second second T. W. Cheong, b Palairet ... I. Tajima, b. Palairet ......

a . . Hi, Y. flicong, by Dearle ...... H. G. M. Barma, c Stephens, b Dwane Andrews 12 F. Hiptoofe, b Dearle ..... A. A. Ruminling not out ...... R. Ponsonby Fune, c Dwane; b Deanles .....

Total 200 Morton, b May

Bowling Analysis. 

Counber ......... 5 Dighum Dwane ...... 2 ""Tamar"—1st Innings.

Stephens .....

ient. Dwane, o Hiptoph. 5 Rumjahn ..... bient. Stephens, b Lam ...... Sgt. Fuller, st., b. Rumjahn ... Pay' Com. Coomber. b Lam ...

C. P. O. Burston, b Rufnjahn Dient. Com. Ingham. b Rumialna Sub. Itient, Palairet, c Cheong. 'b Zimmern ..... A. B. Dearle, b Rumjahn ......

S. C. P. O. Vincer, b Zimmern Surg. Lieut. Neil, not out .... F. P. O. Pook, st., b Rumjahn Extras

Bowling Analysis.

Rumjahn ...... 9.5 1 Lam ...... 8 Zimmern ...... 1

"Tamar"-2nd Innings. Lieut. Dwane, b Rumjahn ..... Lieut, Stephens, e Barma, b Rumjahn ..... Sgt. Fuller, b Rumjohn .......

Pay Come Coomber o Ng, b. Rumjahn ..... C. P. O. Burston, b Shahabudin ..... Lieut.Com. Ingham, b Rum-Sub. Lieut. Palairet. b. Shahabudin ....

B. Dearle, c. Tajira, b Rumiahn ,S. C. P. O. Vincer, e and b Rumiahn ..... Surg. Licut. Neil, c Zimmern,

b Ng C. P. O. Pook, not out ......

Shahabudin ...... 5 0 Kowloon v. "Hawkins." At Kowloon the home team defeated H.M.S. "Hawkins"

HOME TURF.

FLAT RACING SEASON HONOURS.

MANTON STABLE ON TOP.

(Times of Ceylon.)

London, Nov. 28. The winning racehorse owners



Mr. Solly Joel.

season were: - Lord Astor, 33 points to 3.] £35,723; Mr. S. B. Joel, £35,570;

The winning trainers were :---Taylor, £56,601; Fred Darling, " £43,611; R. Dawson, £35,321. The winning jockeys were: Gordon Richards 118 victories:

Elliott, 86; Weston, 82. A. A. Rumjahar, the Varsity arranged by the Club de Recreio A. Company (1/East Surreys) skippenound interport player, took for this Sunday, has been post-Wickers. In the first innings, poned, owing to the small number

> Patheraments not out) added 81 for the fourth wicket. The Navy were 58 for 7 wickets gave his side victory. but the later batamen made a stand! and an exciting finish ensued,

Kowloon C.C. J. C. Byul, & Hussey, b Canfrell. L.E. Hall, e Elussey, 5 Cantrell 1 L. Smith, b Cantrell .....

B. Petherum, not out ..... La Col Matthews, o Stephensom h Nicholson ..... Capt. Morris, e Nicholson, b

May A. R. F. Raven, e Bennett, b. S. B. Smillett, e Bennett, b

Total (for 8 wkfs. dec.) 149 C. Jones and A. N. Other did not bat.

Extras .......

Bowling Analysis,

Contrell ..... 9 Nicholson ...... 5 19 Lacke ...... 8

"Hawkins." Lt. Nicholson, b Jones Capt. Imke, c & b Jones ...... Phy late Plussey, c Morton, · b. Jones .....

Lat. Col. Cambrell, o Pebberson. la Iuval Mid. Stephenson, b Lyal..... Eng. Lt. Bennett, run out ... T.A. Wauchope, b Jones .......

Pay-Lt. Nave, c Raven, b Mid. Simms, b Smith ...... 83 Lb. Condr. Bower, b Lyal ... O. May not out Extras

> Bowling Analysis. M. R. W.

Morris

O Smith ..... 4 To-morrow's Teams The following have been selected to play for the Craigengower C.C. in their league match to-15 morrow with the Indian Recreation Club at Sookumpoo: -D: Fritz (Capt.), T. Grimes, A. B. Hamson, F. Schnepel, R. W. Bradbury, S. Abbas, E. Fincher, W. G. Guest, A. Kitchell, R. C.

Reed, R. Basa. Reserve: E. Hamson. The Indian R.C. 1st XI for this match will be: A. el Arculli, F. M. el Arculli, J. S. Abdool-O Curreem, Omar Ismail, S. A. Ismail, Jr. S. H. Ismail, A. H. Madar, U. M. Omar (Capt.), A. H. Rumjahn, D. Rumjahn, 48 Y. Abdul Wahab. Scorer: D.

Rumjahn. Umpire: S. D. Ismail. In the friendly match on the Craigengower C.C. ground to morrow with H.M.S. "Hawking" the following will play for the home 2nd XI:-P. A. Dixon

(Capt.), W. B. Muskett, Y. Abbas, F. K. Modi. C. Gehagan, A. E. Phillips, G. Macleod, T. Young, E. Mowfung, The E.C.C. lost 8 wickets for 5 M. Pinha, J. C. Fletcher, Reruns betwasperthews (40) and serves A. P. Lin. M. S. Sanjana.

RUGBY BLUES.

PIFTEEN.

(Times of Ceylon.)

Cambridge at Twickenham on December 10 is as follows:-D. Drysdale (Brasenose); Mackintosh (University), Church); J. Nunn (New), W. (Corpus), A. Xalentine (Balliol), W. Berkeley (Hertford), W.

(Pembroke)". Seven of the above team played in the 1924 match, Fildes in the match. Mackintosh, Richardson, Landale, Preston and Seccombe are seniors. Drysdale

## MILITARY SPORT.

GARRISON SOCCER LEAGUE FINAL.

The ladies' waiking competition (captain), Jordan and Douglas, retained the "Fowler" Cup for the championship of the Garrison Football League by defeating B." Company of the same regi-

Early in the first half the winners lost their centre-forward and another player. After the in- kick-off 4 p.m. terval the "A" skipper scored and "

(a, G.O.C.) presented the Cup Navy in the replay for the Laf and medals to the two teams.

"A" lost once and "B" drew twice Kwong-iq. nim nine matches each.

# SOCCER TOUR.

TO LEAVE NEXT YEAR. (Times of Ceylon.)

London, Nov. 29. dian Football Association's invita-Canada for a seven or eight

weeks' tour next Summer. The dominion authorities are undertaking to defray all ex-

As the feam will leave England in the middle of May and return in the middle of July, it is very probable that a stronger side will be got together than the side which met with uninterrupted success in Australia.

THE DEFEATED OXFORD

London, Dec. 2. The Oxford rugby team to play

Wallace (New), J. Richardson (Brasenose), H. Jacob, (Christ Strong (Brasenose); G. Abell Roughead (Oriel), D. Fildes (Balliol), D. Landale (Balliol), B Preston (New), L. Seccomb

and Nunn are freshmen. [Note: The Cantabs won by

Including in their team such well-known players as Bristowe

ment at Sookumpoo yesterday.

Club, called for cheers,

BRITISH TEAM FOR CANADA

The Football Association has provisionally accepted the Canation to send an England team to

The following will represent the Hongkong Hockey Club "A" University " "A" at University ground to-day at 5 p.m.:—T. B. Joint Masters:—Mr Powell; L. H. Kearne (Capt.), and Dr. Pierce Grove. H C. Macnamara; G. Rankin, W. H. Lock, G. R. Vallack, W. R. Andrews, S. H. Garrod, D. Lyon, T. P. Saunderson, D. Fitzgerald.

# WEEK-END SPORTS BUDGET.

LAF WAH CUP, TO MORROW'S SOCCER FIXTURES.

ERACUE CAMES AS WELL.

"There is a full programme of feetball to-morrow, the following being the fixtures:-

" LAI WAH CUP.

Semi-Final-Replay.

LEAGUE.

Navy v. South China, Sookumpoo ground, kick-off 4 p.m.

Club de Rècreio v. R.A., Navy "B" ground, kick-off 4 p.m. Kowloon F.C. v. Police, Kowloon ground, kick-off 4 p.m. Hongkong Football Club Surreys, Club ground, kick-off

Division I.

Division II (Section A.)

R.A. Reserves v. St. Joseph's College, Navy "B" ground, kickoff 2.30 p.m. South China "A" v. Club de

Recreio Reserves, South China ground, kick-off 2.80 p.m. Surrey Reserves, v. H.K.F.C. Reserves, Scokumpoo "A" ground, kick-off 2.30 p.m. Drums v. Kowloon Reserves. Sookumpoo "B" ground, kick-off

2.30 p.ni.

Division II (Section B)

South Chian "B" v. Moslem B," St. Joseph's ground, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

Kowloon "B" v. University, Kowloen ground, kick-off 2: 30 p.m. St. Joseph's Reserves v. Drums Reserves, St. Joseph's ground,

The following will probably be H.E. Colonel C. Russell-Brown the Chinese team against the "Wah Cup semi-final:-Lau Hing-Q.M.S. Steele, the hon, secre- cheung; Lai Yuk-tat, Chan So; tary to the Garrison Recreation Leung Yuk-tong, Wong Sui-way Plam Yuk-ying; Pang Kam-wing, Until yesterday both "A" and Leung Wing-tak, Wong Pak-"B" had each dropped two points; chung. Suen Kam-shun, Chan sity ground.

The game will start punctually at 4 p.m. and intending spectators ground. are advised to get to the ground early, as in view of the limited XI on the P.R.C. ground. scating accommodation, standing room only will probably be the cry at 3.30 p.m.

The winners of this semi-final ground. will meet the Civilian team in the final at a future date.

> GOLF FINAL. CHAMPIONSHIP AT

FANLING. Sunday will see the final (36 bowls match. holes) in the Royal Hongkong Golf Club championship at Fan- six rinks each side. The Volun. Stewart, Watson; Brodie, Forsyth, Jordan and Nicholls. ling between H. U. Ireland and teer team is;-W. Douglas,

FANLING HUNT. The Fanling Hounds will be out again during the week-end. Saturday the start will be at 3.30 p.m. and on Sunday about 8 a.m. Joint Masters :-- Mr. H. Birkett

publication in the Budget.



Note the hands of Bill Look, fleshy back and a tackier locked as Cock dashes down the field for a touch down.

WHITE WINGS." SATURDAY, SUNDAY AND MONDAY,

PLENTY FOR YACHTSMEN.

There is a full week-end of. yachting at the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club. The fifth championships for the racing classes will be sailed on Saturday afternoon, that the Harlequins—Newport divided into two teams, one play-the course being from the Club to dispute will probably be settled ing a return match against. Lyemun Beacon, Cust Rock Buoy, amicably and the announcement Eastern Province and the other mark on line, Channel Rocks and is likely to prove a pleasant sur- opposing Grahamstown. finish at the Club house line prise. The distance is nearly nine miles. If the present strong monsoon The Harlequins secretary, Mr.

be some enjoyable sailing. dulge in their annual rivalry, viting the Harlequins to request. The events are for members of the Rugby Union to call an inquiry the R.H.K.Y.C. who are members into the allegations. of the respective Societies. Two Previous messages referred to races will be sailed, one before the Harlequins Club deciding a team but they are strongly re- match between them.] presented this time and a good contest may be predicted.

On Monday the fourth ladies' I championship race will be sailed.

CRICKET VENUES.

WHERE LOCAL TEAMS WILL PLAY.

THREE CLUB TEAMS OUT.

Examinations at the University maximum record. being over, both the 'Varsity cricket teams are appearing on South China "A" R. A. Reserves, matches.

Three first division league defeat. matches, one in the second division, and four friendly games H.K.F.C. Reserves, Kowloon "B" comprise the full programme for and Moslem "B." Saturday,

The fixtures are as under:-LEAGUE Lo Hongkong C.C. 1st XI v. Royal

sity 1st XI on the K.C.C. ground. Recreio Indian R.C. 1st XI v. Craigengower C.C. on the I.R.C. ground.

LEAGUE II. University 2nd XI v. Civil Service C.C. "A" on the Univer-

FRIENDLY GAMES. Civill Service C.C. v. H.K.C.C. "Outeasts" on the C.S.C.C. Police R.C. v. Royal Navy 2nd

Chinese R.C. v. Hongkong C.C. Div. H (Sec. B). 2nd XI on the C.R.C. ground. Craigengower C.C. 2nd XI v. South China "C" ... 6 5 1 0 14 5 11

LAWN BOWLS, SCOTTISH OO, H.K.V.D.C.

. TO PLAY, On Saturday the Kowloon Bowling Green Club will meet the to-morrow, according to the fix- Reserve: Vickars... lunteer Defence Corps, in a lawn this page, are:-

Play will commence at 2:30 p.m., Summers, Bishop;

G. M. Shaw (skip), R. M. Dyer, Reid, J. B. Ross. G. Morrison (skip), P. Stewart, Major Black, H. E. D. Adams. A. McFarlane (skip), McKeller, H. McTavish, A. W. E. Davidson, J. Russell (skip); J. A. Douglas,

F. C. Goodman, E. Docherty. W. Johnstone (skip), B. Wylie, G. Duncan, J. Jack, J. Fraser (akip), D. Keith, G. Cooper, D. Hazel.

Readers of the "China Mail" sports page are invited to send to the Sports Editor, not later than 4 p.m. on Thursdays, items for

> A GOAL. GILBERTIAN SITUATION ARISES.

(Times of Ceylon.)

London, Nov. 29. A Gilbertian situation arose in the Arsenal-Sunderland first league) football match. Buchan scored against Sunderland, and the latter thus received £100 for the goal in accordance with the terms of Buchan's transfer. Brain got a second goal. Sun-

# C.P.S. FOOTBALL.

derland almost deserved to draw

It is anticipated that both the Empress of Canada" and the "Empress of Asia" will be in port during the Christmas holidays and that soccer elevens from the two ships will play a match for

Yesterday two teams from the "Canada" played a goalless match on the Kowloon F.C. ground with selectors on the look-out for

From the form shown it seems that the Canada" will have a very good eleven to put in the RUGGER ROW.

HARLEQUINS-NEWPORT SQUABBLE.

LATEST POSITION.

(Times of Ceylon.).

London, Nov. 20. It is stated in rugby circles. The British lawn tennis players

London, Nov. 26. continues to blow there should Stoop, has replied to Newport's

On Sunday the Societies of St. | The committee of Newport sub-George and St. Andrew will in- sequently passed a resolution, in-

beat Mrs. Tait, 6-1, 6-2. (Great Britain), beat Mrs. Johnand one after tiffin, which will be discontinue their fixtures against stone and Mrs. Tait, 6-0, 6-2. served at the Club house. Last Newport owing to alleged inyear St. Andrew's could not raise fringements by Newport in the

SOCCER LEAGUE.

HOW THE TEAMS STAND TO DATE.

Last Saturday saw the bottom teams in the new "B" division of the football league "break their duck" so that there are no more beat Richards, 6-1, 6-2. blanks in the "points" column. South China "C" lost their

Surreys (champions) the field to-morrow in league South China "C" and St. Joseph's College Reserves have yet to taste

Victory has yet to come to

Division I. Navy 1st XI on the H.K.C.C. Kowloon P. W. D. L. F. A. P. South China Kowloon C.C. 1st XI v. Univer- H.K.F.C. 5 3 2 0 14 5 8 Artillery ..... 8 2 1 3 8 10 Tamer .... 7 2 0 5 5 18 4

The tables now stand:-

Police ..... 9 1 1 7 4 13 3 Div. II (Sec. A). P. W. D. L. F. A. P. South Chins "A" ... 6 6 0 0 10 2 12 Kowloon: Reserves .... 8 5 1 2 18 6 11 Surreys Reserves. . . . 7 4 2 1 26 4 10 R. A. Reserves..... 5 3 2 0 8 5 St. Joseph's.... Recraio A. 7 1 1 5 6 22 3 H.K.F.C. Reserves. 7 0 1 6 3 20 1

H.M.S. "Hawkins" on the C.C.C. University...... 6 5 0 1 30 8 10 Kowloon 1st XI: — Vickers; ground.

St. J's Reserves..... 5 4 1 0 11 4 9 Wheeler, Urquhart; Turner, Sims, 8t. J's Boarden.... 6 3 1 2 13 18 7 McKelvie: McReide Duncen A Kowloon "B" .... 5 0 1 4 5 10 1 Moslem " B" .... 7 0 1 6 8 23 1

To-morrow's Club XI's Some of the teams chosen for Caveille, Fitzgerald, Eastman.

H.K.F.O. Reserves: - S. H. Garrod; D. Lyon, H. Oswick; A. Howell, A. Morrison, G. Puncheon: G. H. Stewart, T. Pile, S. O. Hill, P. W. D. L. F. A. P. 1. McBride, C. Curtis.

> McKelvie; McBride, Duncan A., Linker, Mason, Hayes. Reserve: Kowloon Reserves: - Rasmussen; Guest, Knight; Brown, Pasco; Morris, Latham,

Scottish Company, Hongkong Vo- tures in the "Sports Budget" on Kowloon "B":-Nicholls; Spary, Hast; White, Bliss, Hedley; H.K.F.C. 1st XI: - Rodger; Duncan H., Ross, Thomson, Miles, Gerrard, Mason W.M. Reserves: Elkins



# Five Sandy Macs please

It was yesterday .

'Scotch,' said the Tacitum One.

A small Scotch with just a suspicion of Soda Water, beamed the Expansive One. Double Scotch, barked the Colonel.

' folly old Scotch I' cried the Smart Young Man.

Er-might I trouble you for a small Scotch, please, musmured the Timorous One.

'A Sandy Mac,' said the Man Who Knew. They heard. They watched. They marvelled

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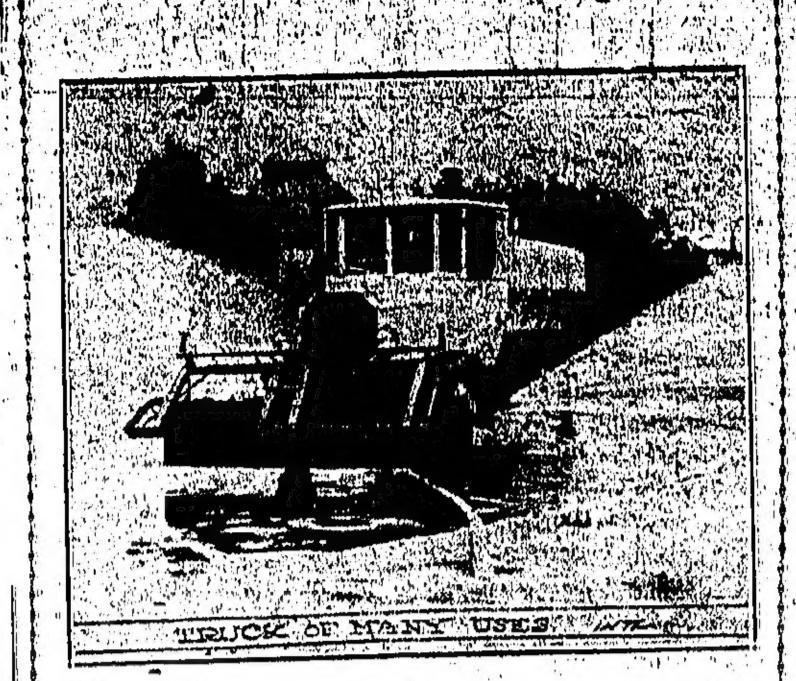
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Rhade Grace Moisolman is said to be a marvel of physical perfection. Now two years old, she was able, at one; to stand on her toes in the manner of a ballet danears



Two people were trapped in their sedan whom a truck grashed into their car on the bridge over this canal. Both machines hung over the side of the bridge. The occupants, after an hour's work, were rescued Thom their perilous position.



Butche Anderson, notorious thug, was killed at Muskegon, Mich., after fatally wounding, a policeman.



Mrs. Mary McGauley, mother of four children and a widow for a month, hurled a hammer through a grocery window and grabbed two tins of penches for her starving children. A policeman seized her as she ran, heard her story and immediately started a fund for the starving children.



Miss Buid Wilson, girl golf cham-pion of England, has a useful hobby— carpentaring. She spends much time at her workshop in her home at Clay



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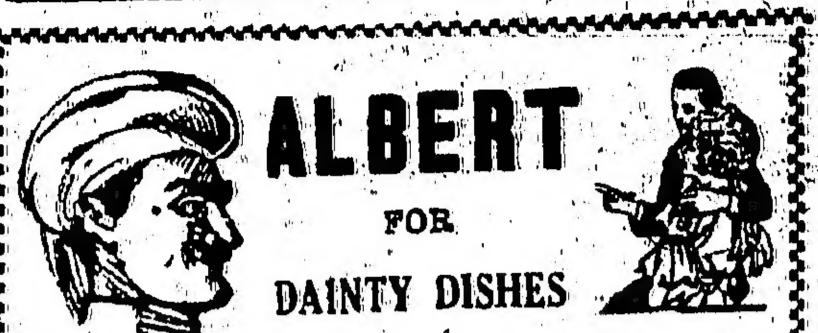
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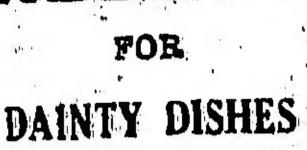
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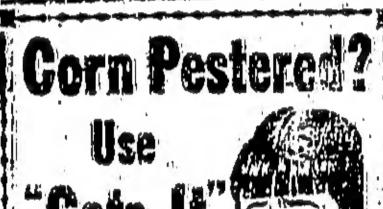
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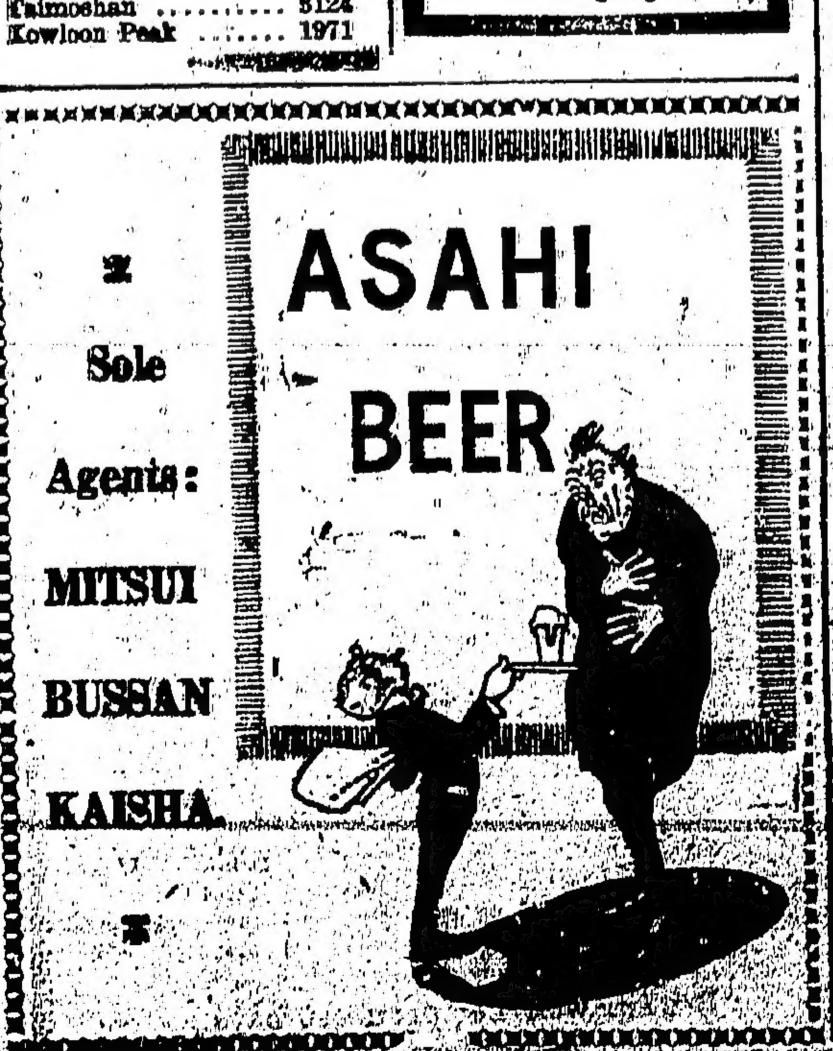
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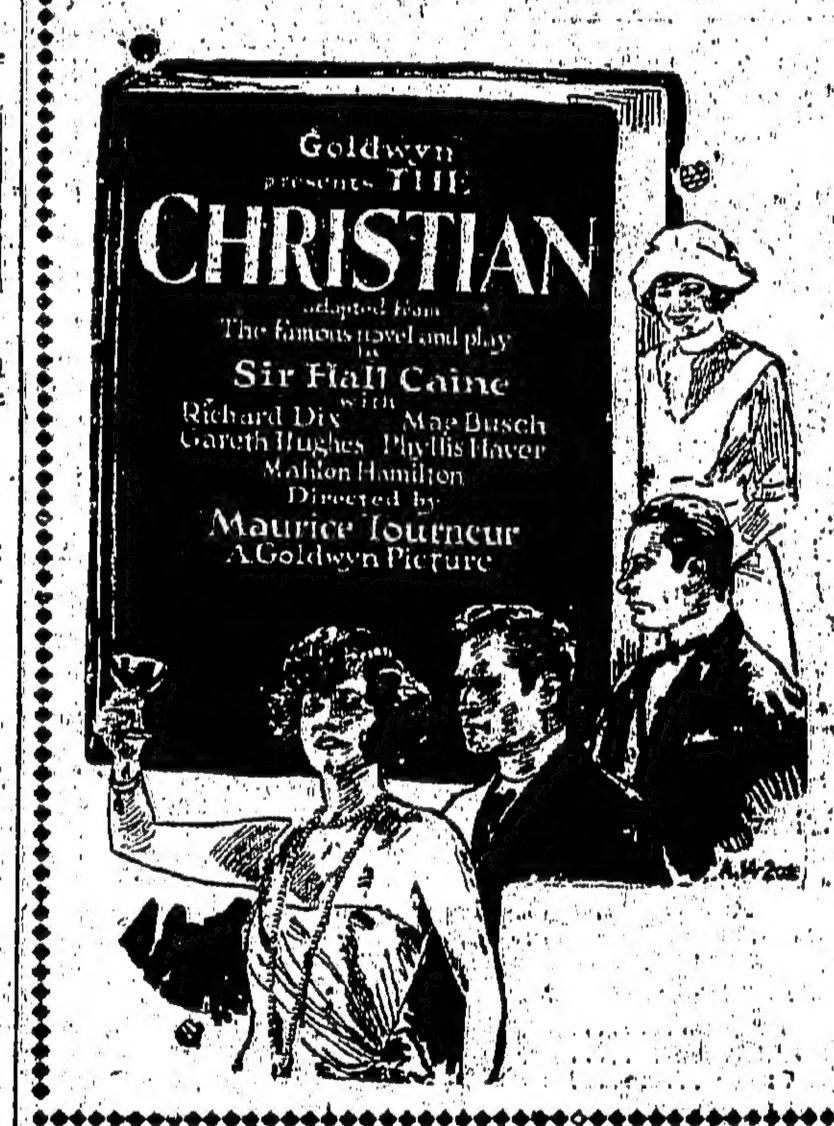
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